



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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COMMONWEALTH PAC
P.O. BOX 383
MERRIFIELD, VA 22116

Response Due Date
09/12/2011

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00498931

REFERENCE: STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION, RECEIVED 07/13/11

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

1. Line 5(f) of your Statement of Organization discloses your committee as a leadership PAC. A leadership PAC is political committee that is directly or indirectly established, financed, maintained, or controlled by a candidate for Federal office or an individual holding Federal office but which is not an authorized committee of the candidate or individual and **which is not affiliated with an authorized committee of the candidate or individual.** 11 CFR §100.5(e)(6) However, Line 6 discloses your leadership PAC sponsor to be **an authorized committee** "Connolly for Congress." Please amend your Statement of Organization to disclose the name of the leadership PAC sponsor.
2. Your committee has omitted Page 4 of your Statement of Organization. Please be advised that you must disclose a campaign depository on Line 9. Each registered political committee must designate a campaign depository or depositories. The committee must maintain at least one checking account or transaction account at one of the depositories. Please amend your Statement of Organization (FEC Form 1) to disclose the omitted information.

Note, you may refer to 2 U.S.C. §433, 11 CFR §102.2, and the instructions for the Statement of Organization (FEC Form 1) for more detailed information of the registration requirements of political committees.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due

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date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.**

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1173.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ashley Carter". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ashley Carter
Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division